



Mr. Giles, of the Senate, is of a stature somewhat above the middle size, and rather fat than baird beseems. His countenance is oval, his deportment dignified and serious, his gait slow and majestic, but his eye dull, lifeless and inexpressive.

He has no animation in those eyes which he doth glare with; it is the vacant stare of idiocy, the unmeaning gaze of insanity without evincing the energy of feeling, or the nobleness of sentiment; and yet it is a fact that this man has been eminently gifted by nature.

His mind though not of the first order, is of a much superior to that we meet with every day—his imagination is vivid, his memory strong and tenacious; but his judgment rather weak than otherwise; and his facility of discernment proportionably enervated, hence that unceasing flow of ideas, that facility of transition, and that rapidity of connexion for which he is distinguished.

A man of sound, discriminating judgment, is never found to have a great or rapid flow of thought, because relations that are slight, or connexions that are trivial, never strike his mind with force and therefore cannot produce ideas. It is this want of perception or discernment between slight relations that engenders multiplicity of thought; and hence it is that man who possesses a judgment of this kind, will never be remarkable for elegance of declamation, or copiousness of eloquence.

Such then, is the mind of Mr. Giles, such, I mean, is the mind with which nature has endowed him, for art has done but little.—It is in a field where 'weeds and flowers promiscuous shoot' and which only requires cultivation to produce the sweetest buds that ever bloomed in the luxuriant parterre of genius.

Mr. Giles is a lawyer by profession. To the acquisition of the law he appears to have devoted the principal portion of his labour and attention. General information and *Belle lettres* acquirements he seems not to have made the object of his pursuit, and hence results that want of brilliancy of illustration, that splendor of amplification, and that lucidness of arrangement which is in him so perceptible.

The study of the poets, historians and philosophers, is not only necessary to an orator for the purpose of recreation but according to Quintilian, he will want elevation of thought, boldness of expression, variety of sentiment and propriety of character, unless the most illustrious and celebrated writers on those subjects, are read with attention and examined with diligence. I am induced to believe it is owing to this that Mr. Giles never strikes the fancy with delight, never arrests or grasps the attention by the force of his similitudes, or the correctness of his explanations. To Plato, Cicero has declared he owed many of his resources; and if we examine the pages of that writer, the eloquence of his style, the divine elevations of his conceptions, and the daring and resolute sweep of his mind, we will not entertain the smallest doubt as to the correctness of the assertions:—and were the speakers of this country to devote more attention to the perusal of such writers, they would doubtless, under their present system of government, display to mankind models of imitation not only in the intellectual, but the moral world. It is from this deficiency in solid information and accurate reading, that the orators or rather speakers of this country have hitherto but rarely manifested a superiority in that divine art, which like the potent spell of enchantment, polarizes the exertion of intellect, and overwhelms the senses in a deluge of delight.

If we believe the words of Cicero it is no easy thing to be an orator. He is a being, perhaps, more rare than any other in existence. He requires an amplitude of acquisition to which scarcely any man can attain, and a vigour and power of genius which very few possess. He requires the united gifts of nature and of art; the combined assistance of genius and of cultivation. Yet if it be impossible to attain to that perfection of which Cicero has formed to himself an idea, it is practicable to arrive at a much greater superiority, particularly in this country, than that to which any modern has yet arrived. But I am again wandering. You must pardon my digression. Like that of Sterne, 'the sweet, the amiable child of sensibility, it will stroll in despite of me through all the zig-zag mazes of disorder, and through all the wanderings of irregularity.'

Mr. Giles' mind is rather slow than rapid. He cannot grasp at one glance the whole bearing, the various dependencies, or intricate connexions of a subject. He requires time, and proceeds with slow and cautious, but generally with unerring steps, in the investigation of truth. In analyzing his speeches we discover no art, no order, no arrangement. He generally speaks as his notes are taken, and but rarely, if ever, arranges in his mind the prominent grounds of objection, or preserves a clear and lucid order in answering and refuting the objections of his opponent.

His action which Demosthenes declares to be the very soul of oratory, is highly inexpressive and ingulant. Sometimes like the statue of Silence, he remains as if without the power of motion, while language of more than Nestorian melody flows from his lips: and sometimes he faws the air with his arms without enforcing the sentiment, or adding beauty to the lustre of expression.

Such is Mr. Giles, a man regarded here as an orator of the first order, but whom I regard as a mere ordinary speaker, scarcely soaring above mediocrity. How various are the tastes of mankind! How difficult it is to establish an universal standard, by which all shall be regulated, and to which all shall refer. It is in nature as it is in the works of art;—men who have never beheld the Apennines, or the lofty Andes—who have never seen the majestic Danube, or the rolling Mississippi, regard Cheviot hills with wonder,

and the meandering Tay with astonishment; and men who have never formed to themselves proper ideas of oratory, who have never seen the pure streams of oily eloquence flow, too often esteem him as an orator, who from long habit has acquired a rapid flow of language, and can on every subject pour forth a torrent of words.

"Thick as the autumnal leaves that strew the brooks in Vallombrosa."

[Letters from Washington.]

#### FOREIGN INTELLIGENCE.

LONDON, JUNE 22.

We received this morning Moniteur and other Paris papers of the 17th and 18th inst. the highest importance is Bonaparte's speech upon opening the legislative body. It will be remarked that Bonaparte does not make any, even the most distant allusion to Russia.—Great Britain comes in for her share of invectives. Oh, how he hates and fears her! He accuses us of alarming and stimulating other powers (Russia probably) against France, and he promised to do great things against us, which promise he will no doubt perform as effectually as he has done all his others.

These papers contain also an account of the opening of the National Council.

PARIS, JUNE 16.

*Speech of Bonaparte to the Legislative Body.*

This day, the 16th, the Emperor proceeded from the palace of the Tuilleries in great state, to the palace of the legislative body. Discharges of artillery announced his departure from the Tuilleries, and his arrival at the palace of the legislative body.

The Empress, Queen Hortense, Princess Pauline, the Grand Duke of Wurtemburg and the Grand Duke of Frankfurt, were in one Tribune; the corps diplomatic in another Tribune; the bishops convened for the council, and the mayors and deputies of the grand cities, summoned to be present at the baptism of the king of Rome, were on benches.

His majesty placed himself on his throne.—The king of Westphalia, the princess, grand dignitaries, grand eagles of the legion of honour occupied their accustomed places about his majesty, prince Jerome Napoleon on his right.

After the new members had been presented and taken the oaths, the emperor made the following speech:—

"Gentlemen deputies of departments to the legislative body

"The peace concluded with the emperor has been since cemented by the happy alliance I have contracted; the birth of the King of Rome has fulfilled my wishes, and satisfies my people with respect to the future.

"The affairs of religion have been too often mixed in and sacrificed to the interest of a state of the third order. If half of Europe has separated from the church of Rome, we may attribute it specially to the contradiction which has never ceased to exist between the truths and the principles of religion which belong to the whole universe, and the pretensions and interests which regarded only a very small corner of Italy.

"I have put an end to this scandal forever.—I have united Rome to the empire—I have given palaces to the Popes at Rome and at Paris; if they have at heart

"The interests of religion they will often journey in the centre of the affairs of Christianity.—It was thus that St. Peter preferred Rome to an abode even in the Holy Land."

"Holland has been united to the empire; she is but an emanation of it—with her the empire would not be complete.

"The principles adopted by the English government not to recognize the neutrality of any flag have obliged me to possess myself of the mouths of the Ems, the Weser, and the Elbe, and have rendered an interior communication with the Baltic indispensable to me.—It is not my territory that I wish to increase but my maritime means.

"America is making efforts to cause the freedom of her flag to be recognized—I will second her.

"I have nothing but praises to give to the Sovereigns of the Confederation of the Rhine.

"The Union of the Valais had been foreseen ever since the act of Mediation, and considered as necessary to conciliate the interests of Switzerland with the interest of France and Italy.

"The English bring all the passions into play. One time they suppose France to have all the designs that could alarm other powers, designs which they could have put in execution if they had entered into her policy. At another time they make an appeal to the pride of the nations, in order to excite their jealousy.—They lay hold of all circumstances which arise out of the unexpected events of the times in which we are.—It is over every part of the Continent that can alone ensure their prosperity. I wish for nothing that is not in the treaties I have concluded.—I will never sacrifice the blood of my people to interests that are not immediately the interests of my empire. I satirize myself that the peace of the Continent will not be disturbed.

"The King of Spain is come to assist at this last solemnity. I have given him all that was necessary and proper to unite the interests and hearts of the different people of his provinces. Since 1809, the greatest part of the strong places in Spain have been taken after memorable sieges.—The insurgents have been beaten in a great number of pitched battles.—England has felt that this war was approaching its termination, and that intrigues and gold were no longer sufficient to nourish it. She found herself, therefore, obliged to change the nature of it, and from an auxiliary, she is become a principal. All she has of troops of the line have been sent into the Peninsula. England, Scotland and Ireland are drained.—English blood has at length flowed in torrents, in several actions glorious to the French arms. This conflict against Carthage which seemed as if it would be decided in fields on the ocean, or beyond the seas,

will henceforth be decided on the plains of pain! When England shall be exhausted, when she shall at last have felt the evils which for twenty years she has with so much cruelty poured upon the Continent—when half her families shall be in mourning, then shall a peal of thunder put an end to the affairs of the Peninsula, the destinies of her armies, and avenge Europe and Asia by finishing this second punic war.

"Gentlemen Deputies of Departments to the Legislative Body.

"I have ordered my Minister to lay before you the accounts of 1809 and 1810. It is the object for which I have called you together. You will see in them the prosperous state of my finances. Though I have placed within three months 100 millions extraordinary at the disposal of my ministers of war, to defray the expenses of new armaments which then appeared necessary, I find myself in the fortunate situation of not having any new taxes to impose upon my people. I shall not increase any tax. I have no want of any augmentation in the imposts."

The sitting being terminated, his Majesty rose and retired amidst acclamations.

*From the London Gazette.*

War-Office, June 11.—His Royal Highness the Prince Regent has been pleased, in the name and on behalf of his Majesty, to appoint his Serene Highness the Hereditary Prince of Orange, to be Lieutenant Colonel in the army.

*Dreadful calamity in Hungary.*

A German paper, (*Neue Zeitung*) which came to hand last week, contains the following article, dated Petersburgh, April 24. "Early on the morning of the 10th inst. the Danube, without any previous warning, suddenly overflowed the banks below Best, and inundated the adjacent 30 miles. By this accident, 24 villages, for the most part extremely populous, were swept away, with the greater part of their inhabitants. It is computed that between 3 or 4 thousand persons have lost their lives."

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## KENTUCKY GAZETTE.

"True to his charge—  
"He comes, the Herald of a noisy world;  
"News from all nations lumb'ring at his back."

LEXINGTON, AUGUST 27, 1811.

The Minutes of the ELKHORN and NORTH DISTRICT Associations of Baptists are printed and ready for delivery to the churches, at this office.

### ELECTION RETURNS, 1811.

#### REPRESENTATIVES.

Lincoln—Thomas Montgomery, John Withers.

Nelson—Benjamin Hardin, John Huston, Benjamin Meason.

Washington—Thomas G. Harrison, Benedict Spalding.

Hardin—Charles Helm, Nicholas Miller.

Bullitt—James Alexander.

Boone & Gallatin—Janion Hawkins.

Logan—John J. Crittenden, Lybin Ewing.

Warren—Solomon P. Sharp, Willis Mitchell.

Green—John Emerson.

Adair—Joel Atkinson.

Casey—John Shackelford.

Muhlenberg—William Bradford.

Campbell & Penleton—James King.

Nicholas—Jessie Basket.

Knox—Joseph Eve.

Bracken—John Hunt.

Cumberland—William Wood.

Christian—Abraham Boyd, Matthew Wilson.

Livingston & Caldwell—Jonathan Ramsey.

Greene & Lewis—John Radford.

Ohio—John Davis.

Breckenridge—John Sterrett.

Pulaski—Tunstall Quarles.

W. N. Mr. Cooke.

Clay & Floyd—John Bates.

Barren—Joel Yancy, John Davis.

SENATORS.

Jefferson & Bullitt—William Pope.

Christian & Muhlenberg—Y. Ewing.

Nelson—Dr. Burr Harrison.

Fleming & Nicholas—Thos. Throckmorton.

The above list completes the election returns for 1811.—The result, (says the Frankfort Argus) is 37 old members, and 33 new—in all 70—there are about 23 lawyers, a greater number than heretofore.

FELIX GRUNDY, Esq. is elected a representative of Mero District, Tenn. in the 12th Congress.

WILLIE BLOUNT, Esq. re-elected Governor.

MARRIED, on Tuesday evening last, by the Rev. James Blythe, CRAVEN P. LUCRET, Esq. of Louisville, to the amiable Miss SUSAN P. GREENUP, daughter of Col. Christopher Greenup, of Frankfort.

On Sunday the 18th inst. by Rev. Mr. Metcalf, Dr. MAUZY Q. VANCE, of Nicholasville, to the amiable M. MARGARET LOGAN, daughter of Mr. Archibald Logan, of Jessamine county.

We received no Eastern mail yesterday.

### THE INDIANS & THE BRITISH.

We were disappointed yesterday in receiving intelligence from the quarter of Indian disturbances—There was no mail from Vincennes. But from another source, we are enabled to state, that Governor Harrison is preparing to commence a campaign against the hostile tribes under the influence of the Prophet.—Volunteer companies have been raised in Illinois and Indiana territories, and probably in the state of Ohio—4 or 500 U. S. troops under the command of Col. Boyd and Maj. Floyd, will march from New-Port garrison, and a number of volunteers from Lexington, will set out in a few days—the whole to proceed to Vincennes. So it seems our affairs are fast approaching to a crisis in different quarters at the same moment.

It would seem from the attitude of the Indians—the combination of the Northern and Southern tribes—the conference at Malden—the circumstances attendant on the mission of Foster—the late arrival of regular troops in Canada, that the British ministry were planning another expedition. What success they may calculate upon, is not our immediate province to enquire; but certain it is, if decided steps had not been taken by our government, our frontier settlements would have been much endangered, by their allies—the Indians.

From the friendly course pursued by Mr. Jefferson, towards our red neighbors, and which has been followed by Mr. Madison, we had supposed the Indians would never treat us otherwise than as brethren. But we have been mistaken.

British intrigue and British gold, it seems, has had greater influence with them than American justice and benevolence. Be it so; but let England not hide herself any longer behind the curtain—let her appear to the world as she is, the instigator and protector of savage cruelties: and then real Americans will call into action that spirit of necessary resistance which so eminently distinguished their fathers in the wars of the revolution.

We have in our possession information which proves beyond doubt, the late disturbances to be owing to the too successful intrigues of British emissaries with the Indians.

### OUT AT LAST.

We asserted when we first received Capt. Bingham's reputed official account of the affair between the President and Little Belt, that it was a fabrication—The U. S. Gazette now announces the fact with much gravity and earnestness—embellished with an admittance to the younglings of New-York, (who are charged with the deed) not to do so again—No word is said to the honest federal Friend.

A London paper of June 4, states the present cost of the war to be 250,000 per day, that is, 1,750,000. per week, or ninety one millions sterling per annum!

Gen. Moreau, who has been represented as being on a tour through New England, remains at his country seat near Morrisville.

ter, COLEMAN, who assured his readers that he had copied it from a Halifax paper.

But the cream of the joke is, that Timothy Pickering and the federal host have lost all their labour in endeavoring to prove from this fabricated account the correct conduct of Capt. Bingham, and the censure of Commodore Rodgers and the American government. However, Pickering and his fellow-labourer in Kentucky, both appear to have written on this subject with about the same effect that they have on other subjects—Rodgers is every where applauded, and the apologists of British insolence are every where execrated. Were it possible to raise a blush upon the cheeks of those colleagues in the trade of flattery and detraction, it would now come—but that hope has gone by.

### A most disgraceful imposition.

We are exceedingly sorry to hear upon authority which we cannot doubt, that the article purporting to be Capt. Bingham's official letter to admiral Sawyer, giving the account of the affair between the President's frigate and the Little Belt, a shameful forgery, fabricated by some young men at N. York, in a fit of wantonness. It would be difficult to speak in terms of appropriate reprobation of a transaction so unwarrantable. It has already been productive of no little mischief by irritating the feelings of the publick, and may yet be followed by consequences still more serious.

U. S. Gaz.

### ST. LOUIS, August 14.

From Prairie du Chien we learn that emissaries from Canada have and are now very busy tampering with the Indians.—Unfortunately there are no goods placed there to relieve their wants, and the Factory Store at Fort Bellevue is too remote for them, having to pass nations with whom they are often at war. Last spring numbers of the Sioux, &c. came to the Prairie to procure goods, but were disappointed; Boulvin being at the Federal City, the Mackanaw traders commenced holding councils with them. They told them that "their American Father was poor, and was supplied with such goods as they sometimes received through him, from their English Father, who always remembered their wants and necessities. That the Americans were daily cheating them out of their lands, and if they did not immediately attack and drive them away they would not have a resting place on the earth." One of these fellows cried, sobbed and shed tears as he spoke (in council) of the conduct of the Americans. He strenuously advised them to go to Canada, where they would be amply provided with clothing, arms and ammunition, and be placed in a situation which would enable them to destroy the Americans.—We sincerely hope that the governors of these Territories will be circumspect in giving licences to these cut throats in the shape of traders: and we promise that we shall from time to time, procure the names of those Canadians who are in the present state of population and improvement.

A few days before the arrival of Gov. St. Clair the judges Parsons and Varnum having then recently arrived, and no laws yet adopted; a Code of regulations was drawn up on one sheet of paper, and attached to the side of a large Oak Tree standing on Marietta Point, and in case of infraction of any article of the Code, application was to be made to me. Before the adoption of laws by the Governor and Judges, but one case of assault occurred, and in order not to risque any disrespect, or contempt of our Regulations (for they had not the force of Laws) I composed the difference of the parties—and all was peace. Nothing was then to be seen but an impenetrable forest. This was twenty-two years ago; there were less than 100 persons in the state, including men women and children. The most sanguine imagination could not at that time have had any conception of the present state of population and improvement.

Burning of Judge Simmes' House.

Some interest has been excited on this catastrophe, on account of the repudiation of property and papers, before the house, which were consumed by the destruction of the premises.

In the court of common pleas, April term, 1811, the grand Jury for this county returned a bill against John Hart, a magistrate in that neighborhood, for the said burning, and being charged, he was committed.

The trial in this important case, was commenced on the 7th inst and lasted till the 16th. Mr. Glover was the prosecutor on behalf of the state, and was assisted by Mr. Burnet. Mr. Monroe and Mr. Longworth were counsel for the defendant.

About 70 witnesses (on both sides) were examined, and arguments of considerable length and ability were held; which, together with the evidence, we presume will be given to the public, as we understand the trial is to be reported, when prepared for the press.

The jury retired on Friday morning to make a verdict, and after returning two or three times with no verdict, and the court, lending them back to their room as often, no verdict could be obtained.

On Saturday morning the Jury returned to their box, but without any officer, as we understand they had broken out of the room in which they were, and the officer would not again take them into his custody. The court refused to recognize them; and after remaining some time in the box, without the care of an officer or the court, they dispersed to their respective homes; and the prisoner was remanded back to his confinement.

Ohio Paper.

From the Western Spectator, Marietta.

### THE STATE OF OHIO.

We have heretofore particularly adverted to the unexampled progress of population in this state. As of the present inhabitants a considerable proportion consists of young married people, and as much good land yet remains unoccupied, we apprehend the result of our next census will exhibit a proportional increase equal, if not superior, to that of any other state. The fertility and cheapness of our lands still invite the industrious of other states to migrate hither. Those particularly in the eastern states who have small farms scarcely sufficient for the maintenance of their families, may find themselves much advantaged by transferring their interests to this state. True it is we have not as yet a regular market. Flour, however, may always be disposed of to advantage. Horned Cattle are raised with little expense compared with what is requisite beyond the mountains. A statement of the quantity of beef cattle and live pork driven last year from Ohio would exceed the belief of eastern farmers. We apprehend from what we have learned of the conduct of Mr. Smith, and undiminished confidence in Mr. Madison—Sympathy with Gen. Wilkinson in the persecutions he has suffered, and a wish to see him pass through the flame unburned—unqualified applause of Com. Rodgers, and full credence in his account—approbation of those who opposed a renewal of the U. S. Bank Charter, and a reprobation of such as advocate it—Disgust with Timothy Pickering's fabrications and fulminations, and detraction of him and his "little band" of "choice spirits"—are expressed in almost every set of toasts which has come to land.

On the whole, the toasts exhibit the public sentiment on every important point correct and united; and are highly gratifying to every friend of his country and government. Tren. True Amer.

The democratic republicans of Anna- polis on the 20th ult. gave Mr. Pinkney, late minister at London, an elegant entertainment, at which the Governor of Maryland, and the executive council, the chancellor, &c. &c. were present—also many republicans from the country. At this meeting Mr. Pinkney declared himself "warmly and sincerely attached to the political conduct and principles of that great, good and excellent man, who not only presides over the public affairs of the nation, and that his attachment to him was the more firmly fixed because he had the best possible opportunities of knowing the honesty and purity of his motives, and that aided by the co-operation of his fellow-citizens he had no doubt; he would firmly support the best interests of his country.—He said he had no concealments to practice, but with his political principles to be generally and publicly known—he would avail himself of that occasion, openly and explicitly to declare that it was his firm determination to support the administration of his government, whilst it should be conducted upon those democratic republican principles, which had governed the political conduct of the present and late administrations—and that he should do this from an honest conviction, that it would eminently contribute to the promotion of the general welfare. For reasons, which he was well assured would be obvious to those present, he deemed it improper to enter more into detail at the present moment—but having now become a private citizen, he should at all times freely give his political opinions to those who might deem them of sufficient importance to seek their discovery."

A writer in the Virginia Patriot of the 21st ult. asserts, that Mr. JEFFERSON had, within a few days, in conversation with a gentleman of the first respectability and veracity on the affairs of Europe, and the relative situation of the United States, unequivocally declared, "that he believes the French emperor to be the greatest monster, and most abandoned scoundrel in the world."

To Printers—To excite emulation.

A young man an apprentice in this office, who is only between 16 and 17 years of age, composed on Wednesday last, by the usual time quitting work, 14, 15 m. of the matter contained in the first and second pages of his paper: If this has ever been exceeded or equalled, by a compositor of his age, it is what we are ignorant of—and indeed, we are of the opinion, that the same quantity of solid matter, in so short a measure, has seldom been composed in one day, by any of the most expert and practised workmen.

CHARLES BUCK.

CHARLES BUCK.

Montgomery County, Fayette county, August 26th, 1811.

WAS TAKEN.

FROM the commons of Versailles about three weeks past, a SORREL HORSE, blazed face, about 14 hands high, several saddle-spots and probably some white feet—handsomely nicked, paces, trots and canters. A handsome reward will be given to him who will deliver said horse to me—he is somewhat advanced in age.

JOHN R. JONES

RESPECTFULLY informs his friends, the public, that having taken the house lately occupied by Dr. Campbell, in West street, he intends to commence his profess.

Sign & Ornamental Painting.

He solicits public patronage as he will execute his work in a neat and expeditious manner, on cheap and commodious terms.—Orders of any description will be gratefully received, either at his house or at the painting room at the theatre.

TAKEN UP by Robert Richardson, living in the town of Falmouth and county of Pendleton, one Bay Mare about 14 hands high, and about 12 years old, taints, and gallows, has a small star in her forehead, branded with A on the near shoulder, and a small scar on the near jaw, with some saddle spots—she has a young colt by her side; (both) appraised to twenty-five dollars before me.

William Mountjoy, Jr. p. p. c.

Taken up by William Casity.

IN Bath county, on Slate creek, near Slate forge, a DARK ROAN MARE, a natural pacer, 14 1/2 hands high, a star in her forehead, both feet white, shod before—her mane hangs on the near side, judged to be 11 or 12 years old, appraised to \$ 18 before me, this 4th day of June, 1811.

ELIHU OWINGS.

Fleming County, Sct.

Taken up by Joseph Christy, living on the head waters of Fox's Creek, a bay horse, four years old, both hind feet white, a small star in his forehead, no brand perceptible, appraised to ten dollars.

EDWARD DORSET.

December 24th, 1810.

Woodford County, Sct.

Taken up by Edward Trabue, living on the Kentucky river, a little below the mouth of Green Creek, in Woodford county, a bay horse, about seven years old, and about fourteen hands and a half high, no brand perceptible, appraised to \$ 34.

W. M. VAUTER,

## FRESH GOODS.

THE subscriber having lately returned to this country has brought on with him a fresh assortment of British Manufactures, put expressly for this market in England, and which are now opening at the house adjoining the store of Mr. George Trotter, Jr. at the corner of Main and Mill streets—and offered for sale by the package or piece, on credits of 60 and 90 days, at such prices as will render them well worthy the attention of the storekeepers throughout this state.—They consist of the following articles, viz.

10 trunks 7-8 and 9-8 chintzes, calicoes and furnitures.

10 cases chintz shawls, cotton shirtings, ginghams, mull, sprig, seedling and leno Muslins, 4-4 and 6-4, cambric muslins, 7-8, 4-4 and 6-4 black, and all coloured do.

2 do. flax and purple handkerchiefs

3 do. dimities

4 do cotton cassimeres

1 trunk satins, moles, twilled sarcenes, men's foretains, and 40 doz. black and all coloured Barcelona handkerchiefs

3 cases mens and women's cotton and worsted hose

1 trunk, do. do. silk do. and picic, sleeves, gloves and mitts

1 trunk assorted sewing silk

3 cases Scotch threads

6 cases pins, assorted, with millinery and corking, 100,

## Brass Foundry.

I. WOODRUFF, & Co.  
RESPECTFULLY INFORM THE PUBLIC THAT  
THEY HAVE LATELY COMMENCED THE  
Brass Founding Business  
AT THEIR SHOP IN LEXINGTON, OPPO-  
SITE THE BRANCH BANK,

WHERE they intend carrying it on in all  
its various branches. Having procured  
the best of workmen from New York, they  
confidently hope, by their promptitude and at-  
tention, that they will give general satisfac-  
tion. They have constantly on hand, and for  
sale, a general assortment of

BRASS AND IRONS,

SHOVELS & TONGS,

DOOR KNOCKERS &c. &c.

Of the newest and most fashionable patterns,  
which they will dispose of much lower than  
such articles have heretofore sold in the west-  
ern country. All kinds of machinery, clock-  
work, &c. cast on the shortest notice.

Still Cocks, Rivets &c. always of  
hand.

The highest price in cash will be given  
for

Old Copper, Brass & Pewter.

I. W. & Co. continue to carry on at the  
above place, the

SILVER PLATING AND SILVER  
SMITH BUSINESS.

IN ALL THEIR BRANCHES,  
And have constantly on hand, ready for delivery,  
every description of

Carriage and Harness Mountings,  
Carriage and Gig Springs,

Carriage Lace, Fringe & Tassels,  
Bridle Bits, Stirrup Irons, &c. &c.

Of new and very elegant fashions, which  
they have just received from Philadelphia.

ALSO ON HAND, AN ASSORTMENT OF

Gold & Silver Ware.

July 20, 1811.

State of Kentucky  
Montgomery Circuit, set. July Term, 1811.

Arthur Conoley complt.  
against

Weathers Smith, Thomas  
Mayo, James French  
and others def'ts

Appearing to the satisfaction of the court  
that Thomas Miller is not an inhabitant of  
this commonwealth, and he not having entered  
his appearance agreeable to law, and the rules  
of this court. It is therefore ordered that unless  
he do appear here on or before the third day of  
the next court, file his answer plea or demur  
to the complainant's bill, otherwise the same  
will be taken for confessed against him. And  
it is further ordered that a copy of this order  
be published eight weeks successively in some  
duly authorized newspaper, according to law  
in this state.

A copy attest,  
T. O. TRIPPLETT, JR. D. C. M. C. C.

State of Kentucky  
Montgomery circuit set. July Term, 1811.

William Calk complt.  
against

William Reid, John Rodes  
Raglin and others def'ts

THIS day came the complainant by his at-  
torney and it appearing to the satisfaction  
of the court that the defendant John Mayo,  
Thomas Hines, John Rodes Raglin and the  
heirs and legal representatives of Andrew Lynn  
dec. Anthony Buckner and William Boothie,  
are not inhabitants of this commonwealth, and  
they not having entered their appearance here-  
in agreeable to law and the rules of this court.  
It is therefore ordered that unless they do ap-  
pear here on or before the third day of our  
next October term, file their answer to the  
complainant's bill, plea or demur, that the  
same will be taken for confessed against them.  
And it is further ordered that a copy of this  
order be published eight weeks successively,  
in some duly authorized newspaper, accord-  
ing to law.

A copy attest,  
M. HARRISON, C. M. C. C.

Doctor M'Calla's Works  
JUST RECEIVED, AND FOR SALE AT THE

BOOKSTORE OF  
Macoun, Tilford & Co.

And at the office of  
The Kentucky Gazette,  
Consisting of Sermons and Essays, Moral, Lit-  
erary and Political, in 2 vol. 8 vols.

The following short extract from Doctor Hol-  
lingshead's funeral discourse on the author,  
will serve to give the reader an idea of his  
character.

With powers of mind equal to his piety  
and benevolence, he justly held a conspicuous  
place in the foremost rank of eminent and  
good men. He was a profound scholar, com-  
bining the wisdom of antiquity with the re-  
finement of modern literature. In biblical  
learning, criticism and sacred history, he was  
exceeded by none.

As a preacher, the elegance of his manner,  
the perspicuity of his style, the abundant va-  
riety of his information, enforced by a manly  
and almost unrivaled eloquence at once char-  
ming, convinced and instructed.

Extract of a letter from a clergyman of respect-  
ability, in this state, to the editor.

I have just consulted, as far as time has  
permitted, Dr. M'Calla's mode of treating  
some subjects, and am exceedingly glad that  
such a work has found its way to this country  
at this time. There is indeed a beautiful sim-  
plicity of style, and remarkable perspicuity. I  
think his thoughts are happily expressed on the  
atonement, existence of moral evil, and the  
causes of infidelity, subjects of great impor-  
tance in our day.

The above work may also be had at the  
office of the Reporter

I WILL SELL  
THE FOLLOWING TRACTS OF  
LAND, viz.

10,000 ACRES lying in Knox  
county, on Rockcastle

5,000 ACRES in Mercer county,  
on the Rolling Fork of Salt river, a great pro-  
portion bottom.

1,000 ACRES in Washington  
county, on Pleasant's run.

The above mentioned LANDS were patent-  
ed in the name of James Southall. I will give  
a reasonable credit, and receive in payment  
Horses, Cattle, Whiskey or Hemp.

UNSTAL QUARLES.

Woodford county, 20th July, 1811.

## To the Public.

THE SUBSCRIBERS HAVE LATELY COM-  
MENCED THE

Manufacturing of Tobacco,

In the town of Lexington, Ky. on an extensive  
plan. We wish to inform Merchants &  
Chevers that they may be supplied with this  
article on the most reasonable terms, either by  
wholesale or retail. In preparing our tobacco  
for market, we pursue the most approved  
method yet discovered, & we flatter ourselves  
from the a sidious attention which we intend  
to devote personally to every branch of the busi-  
ness, and from thorough knowledge of the  
art—that we will be able to give satisfaction to  
those who may favour us with their orders.

Orders from merchants in any part of the  
Western country promptly attended to—and  
if our tobacco does not meet the expectation of  
our customers we will receive it back again at  
our own expense.

DAVID COBBS. & Co.

N. B. Wanted to purchase immediately  
3 or 3 hundred hogsheads of tobacco.—Also  
to hire 15 or 20 Negro boys to work at the above  
business.

D. COBBS & Co.

Lexington, June 11th, 1811.

TEN DOLLARS REWARD.

RAN AWAY from the subscriber, on the  
night of the 16th of May last, a likely  
Negro fellow, named

NELSON,

Of a black complexion—about 22 years of age,  
5 feet ten or eleven inches high, heavy and large  
limbs, supposed to weigh 180 or upwards—his  
countenance is not a good one, but discovers a  
sullen disposition; he has a remarkable  
large scar from a cut on the inside of one his  
feet (probably on the left) which extends from  
the ankle bone towards his great toe—he is  
dull of speech when under examination. He  
took with him a good wool hat and white  
linsey cloathing. Any person who will apprehend  
the above negro, and bring him home, or  
secure him in any jail in this state, shall have  
the above reward, with all reasonable charges  
—if taken out of the state Twenty dollars re-  
ward will be given, with the usual expenses

A copy attest,

STATE OF KENTUCKY.

Fayette Circuit Court

JUNE TERM, 1811.

Daniel Morris, John Morris & William Cham-  
bers—Complainants,

AGAINST,

Haden Edwards, Clement Bell and Margaret  
his wife, John Steele and Anna his wife,  
Abraham Vandegrift and Jane his wife,  
Priscilla Francisco, John Steele and William  
Steele, heirs of Andrew Steele, deceased,  
the heirs and representatives of Thomas  
Quirk dec'd, the heirs and representatives of  
Andrew Allison dec'd, the heirs and representatives  
of David Dryden dec'd. John Brown, Nathaniel Dryden, Andrew Vance  
and Daniel Williams—Defendants.

IN CHANCERY.

The defendants Haden Edwards, Nathaniel  
Dryden, the heirs and representatives of Andrew  
Quirk, the heirs and representatives of Andrew  
Allison, and the heirs and representatives of David  
Dryden, dec'd. (all of whom are un-  
known to the Complainants,) having failed to  
enter their appearance herein agreeable to law,  
and the rules of this court, and it appearing to  
the satisfaction of the court that they are not  
inhabitants of this Commonwealth—on the  
motion of the complainants by their counsel,  
it is ordered that unless the said defendants

Haden Edwards, Nathaniel Dryden, the heirs  
and representatives of Thomas Quirk, the heirs  
and representatives of Andrew Allison, and  
the heirs and representatives of David Dryden,  
dec'd do appear here on or before the first day  
of the next September term of this court, and  
answer the complainants' bill, the same will be  
taken for confessed against them—and it is  
further ordered that a copy of this order be  
inserted in some authorized paper, for eight  
weeks successively agreeable to law.

A copy attest,

P. I. RAILEY D. C. E. C. C.

LEP'S

PATENT MEDICINE STORE,

NEW-YORK.

SOLD IN KENTUCKY AT

Waldemard Mentelle's Store

LEXINGTON, AND

Dudley & Trigg's Store

FRANKFORT—VIZ.

JOHN PEEBLES.

Montgomery county, Ky. near Mount Sterling.

July 20th, 1811.

PURSUANT to a decree of the General Court,  
in the suit in chancery, James Southall's heirs are complainants, and the heirs and  
representatives of Richard Hogg, dec'd. defendants.  
We the subscribers being appointed  
commissioners by the said decree will on  
Thursday the 19th of September next, attend at  
the house of John Campbell in Henry county,  
on the premises exposed to public sale at six  
months credit, the defendant's interest in 7,500  
acres of land, located, surveyed, and patented  
in the name of Richard Hogg: said land will  
be laid off in lots to accommodate purchasers.  
Bond with approved security will be required.

Anthony Bartlett,  
John Russell,  
Ambrose Quarles,  
Preston W. Brown,  
Row and Thomas,  
Edward George.

John Kennedy.

June 25th, 1811.

Kentucky Hotel.

WILLIAM SATTERWHITE,

ACKNOWLEDGES

with gratitude the many favours he has  
received since he commenced business in  
the several courts in the towns aforesaid. He  
will also attend once a week to receive cloth  
that may be left with Mrs. Raymond at her  
mill, which shall be returned dressed in a month  
or five weeks at furthest, unless some accident  
prevent it. The subscriber pledges himself to  
his customers to exert the utmost of his abilities  
in finishing such cloth as may be committed  
to his care with neatness and speed.

JOHN KENNEDY.

November 26th, 1810.

March 4th, 1811.

FULLING MILL.

THE subscriber, grateful to his friends and

customers for former favours, wishes to  
inform them that he has rented Sam'l Scott's  
Fulling Mill, on the town fork of Elkhorn, where  
the advantage of a constant current of water  
will enable him to carry on the Fulling business  
more to the satisfaction of his customers, than  
he has heretofore done. For the convenience  
of distant customers, he will attend at the usual  
places of deposit, for the purpose of receiving  
loths—viz. At John Keiser's, Lexington; at  
r. Patton's, post master at Paris; at Mr.  
Mahony's in Georgetown, on the first day of  
the several courts in the towns aforesaid. He  
will also attend once a week to receive cloth  
that may be left with Mrs. Raymond at her  
mill, which shall be returned dressed in a month  
or five weeks at furthest, unless some accident  
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in finishing such cloth as may be committed  
to his care with neatness and speed.

JOHN KENNEDY.

November 26th, 1810.

March 4th, 1811.

TAKE NOTICE

THOSE whom it may concern are  
hereby informed that at the county cour-  
thouse for the county of Bath, in the  
month of December next, we shall apply to  
the said county court for an order es-  
tablishing a town on the lands of the sub-  
scribers, agreeable to an act of Assembly  
in such case made and provided; said  
town to be located and laid off, adjacent  
and around a large spring, known by the  
name of Boyd's spring, near the dividing  
ridge between Pricklyash and Flat creek.

William Bond.

William Power,

Thomas Sinclair,

Benjamin Snelling.

August 1st, 1811.

31st

A SWEEPSTAKE RACE.

I contemplated to be run for over the Lex-  
ington course on the 4th October next—  
two miles the heats—free for any horse, male  
or gelding that is entered before the first day  
of September.—Entrance \$300 each, half forfeit.

No race unless four horses are entered.  
The stakes are to be made the day before the  
race, and put into the hands of Wm. T. Ban-  
ton, who holds the subscription paper.—  
Weights are fixed or, time of starting, &c. in  
the articles or subscription paper.

The entrance, half cash, which will be the  
forfeit, the other in horses.

August 3, 1811.

REMOVAL.

ASA BLANCHARD,

GOLD & SILVER SMITH,

INFORMS the public generally that he has re-  
moved his shop to the corner of Short and  
Mill streets, opposite to Mrs. Russell's and  
Dr. Fishback's, where he carries on his busi-  
ness on a much more extensive scale and elegant  
style, being provided with workmen of the  
first abilities. He will keep constantly on hand  
a general assortment of Gold and Silver Work,  
which will be sold on the most moderate terms.  
Saddlers can always be furnished with silver  
and plated heads and cantles, &c.

He flatters himself that the prices and qual-  
ity of his work, added to his unremitted endea-  
vours to please, will procure him at least an  
equal share of the custom of Lexington and its  
vicinity. Orders from a distance will be at-  
tended to with the greatest punctuality and  
dispatch.

Lexington, July 20 —th.

1600 Acres

In two surveys, adjoining Col. Waggoner's

755 Acres

Adjoining Maj. Fielding Jones. All those  
lands he near together, and are valuable. They  
will be sold together, or in separate tracts—

several valuable farms on them, a small part  
of the purchase money will be required in hand,  
the balance in 6 annual instalments. For fur-  
ther particulars, apply to Nathaniel Harris and